

CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

5 January 1951

Mr. Charles A. H. Thomson
Staff Director
President's Communications Policy Board
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Thomson:

This Agency concurs generally in the draft section of a report by your Board referred to this Agency for comment by your letter to [] dated 21 December 1950.

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With reference to the statement in paragraph 2, page 34, of your draft, and section 3.d. of the proposed Reorganization Plan, it is suggested that specific reference to the Central Intelligence Agency be eliminated and that the phrase, "consistent with the requirements of national security" be added to section 3.d.

The above suggestion is based on the provisions of section 102 d. (5) of the National Security Act of 1947 and section 7 of Public Law 110 (81st Congress) which places on this Agency definite responsibilities for the protection of its security.

Sincerely,

/s/

MURRAY McCONNEL
Deputy Director

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